

lett, Hulley, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Turner, Wilson—24.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 65:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that no administration shall be necessary upon certain estates to provide for a judicial ascertainment and adjudication in certain estates.

Was taken up and read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 65 the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Baker, Butler, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Turner, Wilson—26.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 82:

A bill to be entitled An Act for reducing costs of preparing transcripts of appeals in equity causes.

Was taken up and read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 82, the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Butler, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Turner, Wilson—28.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 10:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 2481 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida. Providing for acknowledgements and proofs of execution of instruments and validating certain acknowledgements and proofs heretofore had and taken.

Was taken up and read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 10, the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Butler, Carlton, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Johnson, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Stokes, Turner, Wilson—25.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 92:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 13 of Chapter 5384, Acts of 1905, relating to the appointment of the members of the Board of Control, and providing for appointment of Board of Visitors.

Was taken up and read the third time.

Pending the consideration of the same, the time of adjournment arrived, and

Mr. Cash moved that the time for adjournment be extended to 6:35 o'clock p. m.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that the further consideration of Senate Bill No. 92 be informally passed over.

Which was agreed to.

The hour of adjournment having arrived, the President declared the Senate adjourned to 11 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, April 29, 1919.

Tuesday, April 29, 1919

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

The President in the chair.

The roll was called, and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton,

Hughlett, Hulley, Igou Johnson, King, Lowry, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—29.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Daily Senate Journal of April 24th, 1919, is hereby corrected as to the last paragraph on page 9 of said daily Journal to read:

By Mr. Hulley—

Senate Bill No. 203:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Duncan G. McBride, former County Commissioner, District No. 3, Volusia County, Florida, for loss of compensation during suspension from office.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Claims instead of

By Mr. Hulley—

Senate Bill No. 203:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of W. Z. Haymans, former County Commissioner, District No. 1, Volusia County, Florida, for loss of compensation during his suspension from office.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Claims.

As it appears on said daily Journal of April 24, 1919.

The correction of the Journal of April 28 was approved.

Mr. Hughlett moved that all of that portions of pages six (6) and seven (7) of the daily Journal of April 28, 1919, referring to the protest petition of St. Lucie and Palm Beach Counties to the passage of House Bill No. 241 be, and the same are, hereby expunged from said Journal.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the Secretary was directed to correct the Journal in this particular on said pages of the said daily Journal.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. McLeod, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., April 29, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 84:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the presentation of a suitable medal, token, or emblem, to each person serving from the State of Florida in the war between the United States and its allies and Germany, Austria, Turkey and Bulgaria, and providing an appropriation therefor.

Have examined the same and find it correctly engrossed.

Very respectfully,

W. A. McLEOD,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 84, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

Mr. Johnson, Chairman of the Committee on Military and Naval Organization, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., April 29, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Military and Naval Organization, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 197:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the compilation of war records of the State of Florida.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do not pass.

Very respectfully,

J. B. JOHNSON,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 197, contained in the above report, was placed on the table under the rules.

Mr. Johnson, Chairman of the Committee on Claims, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., April 29, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Claims, to whom was referred—
Senate Bill No. 191:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Saint Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church of Key West, Florida.
Also—

Senate Bill No. 219:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of the Florida Publishing Company for loss of compensation for publishing the 1918 tax sale of Duval County, Florida.
Also—

Senate Bill No. 204:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of W. Z. Haymans, former County Commissioner, District No. 1, Volusia County, Florida, for loss of compensation during his suspension from office.
Also—

Senate Bill No. 131:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of C. F. Burgman, former County Commissioner, District No. 4, Volusia County, Florida, for loss of compensation during his suspension from office.
Also—

Senate Bill No. 203:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Duncan G. McBride, former County Commissioner, District No. 3, Volusia County, Florida, for loss of compensation during suspension from office.
Also—

Senate Bill No. 205:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the payment of the expenses incurred by the Duval County Guards on its tour of duty from Duval County to Madison County by direction of the Governor of Florida, to uphold, protect and enforce the administration of justice according to law, and to provide also compensation to the commissioned and non-commissioned officers and men who actually did duty on that occasion, and appropriating moneys therefor.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the same do pass.

Very respectfully,

J. B. JOHNSON,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bills Nos. 191, 219, 204, 131, 203 and 205, contained in the above report, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Petitions and Memorials were read and were ordered to be filed.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., April 29th, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

The Joint Committee to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 101):

An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Okeechobee County, Florida, to levy a special tax for publicity purposes.
Also—

(House Bill No. 366):

An Act to authorize the Board of Bond Trustees of Special Road and Bridge District No. 1 of Alachua County, Florida, to issue bonds for the purpose of building certain roads within said Special Road and Bridge District.
Also—

(House Bill No. 299):

An Act confirming and validating the creation of the Alachua Special Road and Bridge District and the High Springs Special Road and Bridge District in Alachua County, Florida, and confirming and validating the sale and issuance of bonds by said districts; providing for the sale of additional bonds by said districts; and defining the powers, rights and duties of trustees of said districts; and providing for the construction of brick or other hard-

surfaced roads by said districts; and providing for the levy and collection of a special road and bridge tax for the creation of a sinking fund for the payment of principal and interest on said bonds; and validating the assessment of nineteen hundred eighteen (1918) made by the County Commissioners of Alachua County.

Also—

(House Bill No. 383):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida, to issue certain interest-bearing time warrants for the purpose of raising funds with which to repair and maintain the roads and bridges in special road and bridge district number two of Brevard County, Florida, providing for the levy of a special tax to pay the interest on and create a sinking fund for the redemption of said warrants.

Also—

(House Bill No. 330):

An Act to abolish the present Municipal Government of the Town of Hawthorne, Alachua County, Florida, and to create and establish a municipal corporation to be known as the City of Hawthorne; to define its territorial limits and prescribe the powers and authority thereof.

Also—

(House Bill No. 219):

An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 7453 (195), Laws of Florida, same being An Act to authorize the county of Dade, State of Florida, to issue bonds for the purposes of procuring and providing an armory site and for the erection and equipment of an armory, and to provide for the securing and payment of said bonds, and for other purposes properly connected therewith.

Also—

(House Bill No. 125):

An Act to authorize the City of Arcadia to levy a special tax for publicity purposes.

Also—

(House Bill No. 127):

An Act empowering the City of Arcadia, DeSoto County, Florida, to combine the offices of clerk, collector and assessor or any two or more of them, so that they may be held by the same person.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we here-with present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber.

Tallahassee, Fla., April 29th, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

The Joint Committee to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 218):

An Act to repeal Section 4 of Chapter 6569, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1913, the same being An Act to prohibit the catching of food fish in any of the fresh water lakes of Citrus County, Florida, or from the Withlacoochee River in said Citrus County, Florida, other than with hook and line or bob; to prohibit the selling of any fish so caught with hook and line or bob, and to prohibit the shipment of same.

Also—

(House Bill No. 54):

An Act to amend Section 2 and Section 4 of Chapter 7601, Acts of 1917, entitled "An Act to encourage and secure the construction of one or more lines of railway and toll bridge across Tampa Bay or Old Tampa Bay, and to grant a right of way over and authorize the filling in of the submerged and other lands belonging to the State of Florida in, upon or adjacent to the waters of Tampa Bay or Old Tampa Bay for the use of any common carrier undertaking the construction of such line or lines of railway and toll bridge, and granting the right to construct buildings, wharfs, docks and depots thereon in connection with and as part of the facilities of any

such common carrier constructing or maintaining such line or lines of railway and toll bridge.

Also—

(House Bill No. 264):

An Act to validate, ratify and confirm all proceedings in connection with the creation and organization of Special Tax School District Number Six (6) of Liberty County, Florida, and all elections held in said district for the selection of school trustees.

Also—

(House Bill No. 248):

An Act prohibiting the hunting, trapping or killing of wild birds, wild animals, or other wild game of any kind on Pine Island, Lee County, Florida, except such as enumerated in this Act, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 228):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Rosa County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing time warrants in a total sum not to exceed fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) to construct a bridge across Yellow River in Special Road and Bridge District No. 1 of said county.

Also—

(House Bill No. 171):

An Act to validate all agreements and contracts, in writing, between the city of Lynn Haven and Minor C. Keith, and to declare the same to be legal and binding.

Also—

(House Bill No. 362):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Pasco County, Florida, to issue certain interest-bearing time warrants for the purpose of raising funds with which to repair and maintain the roads and bridges in Special Road and Bridge District Number One of Pasco County, Florida, providing for the levy of a special tax to pay the interest on and create a sinking fund for the redemption of said warrants.

Also—

(House Bill No. 126):

An Act empowering the City of Arcadia, DeSoto County, Florida, to make the office of city marshal an appointive office.

Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON-

Chairman of Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., April 29, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

The Joint Committee to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 236):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Osceola County to pay the road contractor in Special Road and Bridge District No. 2 excess freight charges.

Also—

(House Bill No. 265):

An Act to legalize and validate a call for an election, and an election held in pursuance of such cause in and for the town of Crestview, Okaloosa County, Florida, a municipal corporation, held on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1919, for the purpose of electing a mayor, town clerk, own marshal, and four councilmen in and for said municipal corporation; and providing that the persons elected in and at said election, and now serving in their respective capacity, are the legal officers of said town and shall continue so, until their successors are duly and legally qualified.

Also—

(House Bill No. 367):

An Act to amend Sections 4, 7 and 12 of Chapter 7414, Laws of Florida, 1917, entitled: "An Act to create certain territory in Alachua County, Florida, into a Special Road and Bridge District; to legalize and validate an election and the result as shown by the canvass of the returns thereof, held in said territory constituting the said territory into a Special Road and Bridge District; and to legalize and validate the building and construction of certain roads and bridges named therein, and for the issuance of bonds to pay therefor, and the appointment of a Board of Bond Trustees, and to invest said trustees with certain powers and duties, and to carry into effect the object and purposes of said election; and to provide for the use and control of the general road and other funds collected within said territory for road purposes." Approved May 21, 1917.

Also—

(House Concurrent Resolution No. 10):

Whereas, the United States Railroad Administration did, in its consideration of reduction in rates upon specified road-building materials when for use in Federal, State, county, parish, township or municipal government road work, exclude as commodities taking reduction in freight charges allowed by said Railroad Administration, all paving brick, cement, asphalt and tar products, although said reduction was allowed upon other road and street paving materials between the dates of May 1st and December 31st, 1919, inclusive.

Also—

(House Concurrent Resolution No. 3):

Memorializing the Congress of the United States, asking for the passage of a law by it, protecting the wild game in a certain part of the Ocala District of the Florida National Forest as heretofore established by proclamation of the President of the United States.

Also—

Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith

present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The Bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., April 29th, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

The Joint Committee to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 102):

An Act to authorize the City of Okeechobee to levy a special tax for publicity purposes.

Also—

(House Bill No. 110):

An Act to validate, ratify, approve and confirm all tax levies made by the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, for Special Road and Bridge District within said county, and all tax assessments based thereon.

Also—

(House Bill No. 288):

An Act to ratify, approve and confirm the charter amendments heretofore made to the charter of the Town of Stuart in Palm Beach County, Florida, and all ordinances heretofore adopted and enacted by the Town Council of the Town of Stuart, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 128):

An Act to empower the City of Arcadia, DeSoto County, Florida, to issue bonds for the purposes authorized by the charter incorporating said city, in an amount not to exceed three hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

Also—

(House Bill No. 68):

An Act to validate and legalize the establishment and creation of that certain drainage district in Lake County, Florida, established by an order of the County Commissioners of said county on November 3, 1917 (said district commonly known as the Clermont Special Drainage District) and to legalize the right to lower the waters of certain lakes in said county to a certain depth for the purpose of properly draining said drainage district.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The Bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., April 29, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

The Joint Committee to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 49):

An Act to repeal Chapter 5560, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1905, entitled An Act providing a local system for the establishment, construction, and maintenance of public roads and bridges of Osceola County, in the State of Florida, prescribing a method for the condemnation of the right-of-way for same, and legalizing certain roads within said county, and also to repeal Chapter 7073 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1915, amending Section 2 of Chapter 5560, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1905.

Also—

(House Bill No. 289):

An Act to amend Chapter 7573 of the Laws of 1917, being An Act entitled "An Act making it unlawful for horses, mules, cattle, swine or other grazing animals to run or roam at large in certain prescribed limits of Pinellas County, Florida, and to provide for the impounding and sale of such animals so running or roaming at large, and submitting the ratification thereof to the registered voters of said county.

Also—

(House Bill No. 100):

An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of the County of Okeechobee to issue and sell interest bearing time warrants for the purpose of grading, paving, hard surfacing, repairing or improving the roads and erecting buildings, repairing bridges in the County of Okeechobee, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 103):

An Act to authorize the City Council of the City of Okeechobee in Okeechobee County, State of Florida, to issue and sell certain interest bearing time warrants; providing for the application of the funds derived from such sale and providing funds for the payment of such time warrants and for an interest and sinking fund to retire said warrants.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Mr. Cash—
Senate Bill No. 248:

A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to the marking and branding of cattle and the marking of hogs and to recording of marks and brands and the transfer and sale of hogs and cattle and the execution and delivery of bills of sale conveying and selling hogs and cattle or either and recording the same, and providing that Sections 3108, 3109 and 3110 of the General Statutes shall not be applicable to hogs and cattle and providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this Act."

Which was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Cash—
Senate Bill No. 249:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create a lien in favor of any person who shall furnish timber upon the turpentine, lumber, crossties, or other thing manufactured or produced from such timber, and providing for the acquisition and enforcement of such lien.

Which was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., April 29, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

House Concurrent Resolution No. 12:

A Concurrent Resolution requesting the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund to bring suit against the Florida East Coast Canal and Transportation Company for failure to maintain the canal according to their agreement.

Also—

House Bill No. 34:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1, Chapter 5400 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1905, being An Act entitled "An Act to provide for the privileges of witnesses in investigations and prosecutions for the violation of the statutes against bribery, gaming and gambling and for violation of the statutes against the illegal sale of spiruous, vinous and malt liquors.

Also—

House Bill No. 145:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 34 of Chapter 596, of the Acts of 1907, Laws of Florida, the same being An Act relating to tax assessments and collection of revenue.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 12, contained in the above message, was laid over under the rules.

And House Bill No. 34, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on Temperance.

And House Bill No. 145, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., April 29, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

Committee Substitute for
House Bill No. 320:

A bill to be entitled An Act to protect and regulate the fish industry in Monroe County, Florida.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Committee Substitute Bill No. 320, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of Local House Bills on Second Reading.

By Unanimous Consent—

The following message from the Governor was read:

State of Florida,
Executive Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., April 26, 1919.

*Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate,
Capitol.*

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that I have approved the following Acts which originated in your Honorable Body and have caused the same to be filed in the office of Secretary of State:

(Senate Bill No. 141):

An Act to enable the Town of Seabreeze, a municipality in the County of Volusia and State of Florida, by its proper officers, to issue bonds for municipal purposes, to an amount not to exceed twenty per cent of the assessed value of the real and personal property within the incorporated limits of said town.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 142):

An Act to authorize and empower the Town of Seabreeze, a municipal corporation in Volusia County, State of Florida, to levy and collect an annual tax of two and one-half per cent.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 144):

An Act to authorize and empower the Town of Seabreeze, a municipal corporation in Volusia County, Florida, to make certain street improvements, and to assess

against the abutting property two-thirds of the cost of such improvements.

Very respectfully,

SIDNEY J. CATTS,
Governor.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

Senate Bill No. 48 was taken up in its order and consideration of same was informally passed over.

BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON THIRD READING.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3-A and Senate Bills Nos. 39, 46, 92, 78 and 124 were taken up in their orders and were informally passed over.

House Bill No. 62:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 1 of Chapter 6895, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1915, entitled "An Act making it a misdemeanor to keep or maintain surface closets or privies used for the deposit of human excreta, within incorporated towns, which are not fly-proof in construction and are not in conformity with plans recommended and approved by the State Board of Health, and prescribing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this Act.

Was taken up and read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 62, the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Baker, Bradshaw, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, King, Lowry, Malone, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Singletary, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—21.

Nays—Mr. Rowe—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 66:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Section 1128 of the General Statutes of Florida, relating to assistant State health officer.

Was taken up and read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 66, the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Baker, Bradshaw, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Turnbull, Turner—23.

Nays—Mr. Malone—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 65:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1122 of the General Statutes of Florida relating to the making of rules and regulations by the State Board of Health.

Was taken up and read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 65, the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Andrews, Carlton, Crawford, Crosby, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, King, Malone, Moore, Rowe, Turnbull, Turner—14.

Nays—Senators Baker, Bradshaw, Cash, Eaton, Johnson, Lowry, McLeod, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Singletary, Wilson—12.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 115:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1131 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida providing for a State Board of Health tax.

Was taken up and read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 115, the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—27.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 111:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2780 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida and 2782

of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, as amended by Chapter 6845 of the Acts of 1915, relating to Surety Companies, their supervision and authority to transact business in this State.

Was taken up and read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 111, the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Baker, Bradshaw, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—25.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 112:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to require Insurance Companies to procure licenses for their agents, and regulating the issuing and cancelling of same, and providing a penalty for the violation of any provision of this Act.

Was taken up and read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 112, the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Baker, Bradshaw, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Wilson—23.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 32:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3356 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to the disposing of personal property under lien and to provide punishment for the sale, mortgage, removal, disposition, or concealment of personal property subject to lien or mortgage and for the wilful obstruction of the enforcement of such lien or mortgage.

Was taken up and read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 32, the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Baker, Bradshaw, Carlton, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, John-

son, King, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Wilson—22.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 105:

A bill to be entitled An Act assenting to and accepting the provisions of An Act of Congress approved July 11, A. D. 1916, and all amendments thereto, the same being entitled "An Act to provide that the United States shall aid the States in the construction of rural post roads, and for other purposes" and providing for the levy of a tax on all taxable property in this State to meet the same. and for the repealing of Chapter 7327, Acts of 1917, Laws of Florida, and for the carrying forward of balances of all funds created by same.

Was taken up and read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 105, the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Butler, Carlton, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Lowry, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—25.

Nays—Senators Bradshaw, Cash—2.

So the Bill passed, title as stated

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 72 was taken up in its order and consideration of same was informally passed over.

Mr. Rowe moved that the time of adjournment be extended to 1:15 o'clock p. m.

Which was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 9:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the establishment of a Board of Charities and Correction, and prescribing the duties and powers of said board.

Was taken up and read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 9, the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Andrews, Baker, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, King, Lowry, Roland, Russell, Turner—13.

Nays—Senators Anderson, Bradshaw, Crosby, Johnson, MacWilliams, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Rowe, Singletary, Stokes, Turnbull, Wilson—14.

So the bill failed to pass, title as stated.

The hour of 1:15 o'clock p. m., the hour of adjournment, having arrived—

The President declared the Senate adjourned, and the Senate stood adjourned to 10:30 o'clock a. m. Wednesday, April 30, 1919.

Wednesday, April 30, 1919

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock a. m. pursuant to adjournment.

The President in the chair.

The roll was called, and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Turnbull, Turner—28.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of April 29 was corrected and approved as corrected.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Moore, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber.

Tallahassee, Fla., April 29, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 206:

A bill to be entitled An Act making it a misdemeanor